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Ms. Jocelyn Boyd, Chief Clerk
South Carolina Public Service Commission
101 Executive Drive, Suite 100
Columbia, South Carolina 29210

Dear Ms. Boyd:

As you are aware, the Senate Judiciary Committee expressed concerns with the proposed Regulation 4454. The members and I understand, and appreciate, the Public Service Commission submitting the proposed regulation to make it consistent with current law. The Committee members did not have any concerns about the proposed language itself, but rather the need to have a regulation that restates an existing statute.

The Judiciary Committee requests that the Public Service Commission withdraw Regulation 4554 and resubmit the revised regulation to Mrs. Deirdra Brevard-Smith, Editor, South Carolina State Register. Pursuant to the discussion at the committee meeting this afternoon, I request that the regulation be resubmitted as either a repeal of the current regulation or as a reference to the statute.

If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact me at (803) 212-6610 or our staff attorney, Heather Anderson, at (803) 212-6208.

With best regards, I remain

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Larry A. Martin". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large, stylized "L" and "M".

Larry A. Martin

cc: The Honorable F. Gregory Delleney, Jr., Chairman, House Judiciary Committee
Mrs. Deirdra Brevard-Smith, Editor, South Carolina State Register
Ms. Nikki Hall, Chair of the Public Service Commission